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Sir:

Applicants hereby request an extension of time to respond to the Office Action dated July 27, 2004. An extension of time for one (1) month was filed on November 24, 2004. This request is for the 2nd and 3rd months and will further extend the due date from November 27, 2004 to January 27, 2005. An appropriate response in the form of a Request for Continued Examination is enclosed herewith.

Please charge the extension fee of \$900 (\$1,020-\$120) to our Deposit Account No. 19-2179. Please also charge this deposit account for any additional fees required, or credit any overpayment, pursuant to 37 CFR 1.25.

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